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DECLARATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.132

Sir:

I, Michael Hagen, hereby declare and state that:

1. I am a Senior Director in the Vaccine Research Department at Wyeth Research. I have been employed at Wyeth for 12 years. I have a Ph D degree in Microbiology and Immunology from the University of Western Ontario in London, Ontario, Canada. My full curriculum vitae is attached as Exhibit A.
2. My principal areas of research are Immunology and Vaccine Discovery Research. I have been a key participant in advancing two programs through drug development and four vaccines through clinical trials. I am an author on 26 publications, 3 book chapters and 26 meeting presentations/abstracts in the general field of Immunology and vaccine research.
3. In the course of my activities, I have been listed as inventor on several patent applications, including the one noted above entitled "Adjuvant Combination Formulations", application number 10/009,473, which entered the national stage based on PCT/US00/13156, filed on May 12, 2000, which claimed priority to US provisional application number 60/133963, filed on May 13, 1999.

4. I have reviewed the present patent application, the pending claims and the current office action dated March 19, 2008. Based on what was known prior to May 13, 1999, it is my opinion that a Ph.D scientist in the field of Immunology would not have been able to predict that the combination of a 3-O-deacetylated monophosphoryl lipid A or monophosphoryl lipid A with granulocyte macrophage colony stimulating factor (GM-CSF), together with a diluent or carrier and the HIV antigen of the claimed invention would have provided an effective immune response. Furthermore, one skilled in the field would not have been able to predict the nature of the interaction of the individual components of the claimed invention as asserted by the Examiner when citing particular references, particularly Ulrich et al. (Vaccine Design, Plenum Press, New York, N.Y., pages 495-523), Disis et al. (Blood. 1996, Vol. 88, No.1: 202-210) and Bartlett et al (AIDS 1998, Vol. 12, No. 11)...
5. It is my understanding that the Examiner is of the belief that at the time of filing of the present application, the combination of any two or more immunomodulators, whether cytokines or adjuvants or a combination of a cytokine and an adjuvant, would predictably provide a synergistic response when added to any particular antigen. The Examiner appears to be of the belief that: at the time of filing the present application, it could have been predicted that the combination any of immunomodulator(s) with any antigen would induce a CTL response.
6. Contrary to the Examiner's belief, in my opinion, a person of ordinary skill in the field of vaccine sciences would not have been able to predict that any particular HIV peptide in combination with any adjuvant and any cytokine would have yielded a predictable immune response.
7. Additionally, it is my opinion, that a cytokine (or lymphokine) and an adjuvant are not "art recognized equivalents". I strongly disagree with the Examiner's comments that the skilled artisan would have had a reasonable expectation of success in combining the two adjuvants, GM-CSF and MPL based on the Examiner's belief that these two elements are "art recognized equivalents". A trained Immunologist would immediately understand that there is no reasonable expectation of success in combining an adjuvant and a cytokine or lymphokine with an antigen of interest primarily due to the mechanism of action of each of these classes of molecules. An

adjuvant and a cytokine are completely different classes of immunomodulators. There is nothing predictable about their activities in combination.

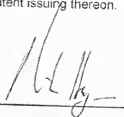
Adjuvants and cytokines have inherently different mechanisms of action and, in my opinion, would not be considered as equivalents. An adjuvant works through the stimulation of a general immune response and can activate one or many different cytokines or chemokines during its course of action. Every cytokine or chemokine individually stimulates different pathways within the immune system. All of these pathways are different and every response by the immune system is different based on the adjuvant(s) used and the antigen administered with it. Cytokines, when administered to a subject, stimulate only one pathway. During the combination of an adjuvant and a cytokine, because of the different pathways involved, the immune response is unpredictable regardless of the individual mechanisms of action of the adjuvant and the cytokine. The other variable is the antigen itself. The administration of different antigens will yield a different immune response based on the individual properties of that particular antigen. The immune response generated from the combination of an antigen and an adjuvant and/or a cytokine is, again, unpredictable. There is no way in advance of knowing what will work until the appropriate experiment is completed.

The HIV peptide reference, Bartlett et al., refers to a peptide similar to the peptide used in the present application. Our data in the application, shows that the CTL and antibody responses are not inherently stimulated in animals using these CTL/Th epitope-containing peptides, even in the presence of cytokine or adjuvant alone. It is the combination that is unique. These formulations were devised and evaluated because of poor immune responses and an unacceptable safety profile using a different adjuvant.

In conclusion, it is in my opinion that the Examiner's assertion that the combination of MPL and GM-CSF with the HIV peptide of the claimed invention, is obvious to combine is incorrect based on the statements set forth above.

8. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further, that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine, or imprisonment, or both under Title 18 of the U.S. Code, Section 1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issuing thereon.

Dated.


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Post Doc University of Iowa, College of Medicine, Department of Pathology, Laboratory of Experimental Immunology, Iowa City, IA (Lab head- Dr. R.G. Lynch).

Ph.D. University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada. Department of Microbiology and Immunology. (1989) (Dr. G.H. Strejan mentor).

M.Sc. University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Department of Zoology. (1983) (Dr. M.F. Filosa and Dr. J.H. Youson mentors).

B.Sc. University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Biology/Psychology. (1979).

Employment History:

2005 – present Senior Director, Wyeth Vaccines Research and Development, Early Phase Programs Immunology, Wyeth Research.

2003 - 2005 Director, Vaccines Discovery (Immunobiology), Wyeth Research.

2002 - 2003 Associate Director, Bacterial Vaccine Immunology, Wyeth Research.

2002 Principal Research Scientist II, Immunology, Wyeth Vaccines Research.

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- 1999 - 2001 Principal Research Scientist I, Immunology, Wyeth Vaccines Research.
- 1998 - 1999 Senior Research Scientist I, Immunology, Wyeth-Lederle Vaccines.
- 1996 - 1998 Research Scientist III, Immunology, Wyeth-Lederle Vaccines and Pediatrics.

Research/Managerial Experience:

- 2007 - present Wyeth Vaccines Licensing and New Business Council member.
- 2007 Selected for Wyeth Executive Leadership Program I.
- 2007 Selected for Wyeth Drug Development Training Program's I and II.
- 2006 - present Wyeth Learn Team member - Elan AD Alliance.
- 2005 - 2007 Research Team Leader, Novel Adjuvants and Vaccine Delivery Technology.
- 2003 - 2006 Discovered and advanced through Development Alzheimer's Immunotherapeutic backup candidate.
- 2003 - present Research Team Leader, Chlamydia Discovery/Research team.
- 1999 - present Research Team Leader: Wyeth/Elan Alzheimer Immunotherapy Collaboration.
- 1998 - 2002 Lead Immunologist, Chlamydia Discovery/Research team.
- 1996 - 1998 Lead Immunologist, Neisseria gonorrhea Research team.
- 1992 - 1994 Lab-advisor; Post Doctoral M.D. Fellow. University of Iowa, College of Medicine, Laboratory of Experimental Immunology, Iowa City, IA.
- 1991 - 1995 Lab-advisor; 2 PhD graduate students, two senior undergraduate students. University of Iowa, College of Medicine, Laboratory of Experimental Immunology, Iowa City, IA.
- 1989 Senior Technical Associate, Department of Microbiology and Immunology University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada.
- 1986 - 1989 Lecturer & Laboratory Instructor; Molecular Immunology, University of Western Ontario, London, Ontario, Canada.

- 1983 - 1986 Lecturer & Laboratory Instructor; Developmental and Comparative Morphology, University of Toronto/Scarborough College, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.
- 1983 - 1986 Laboratory Instructor; Developmental and Comparative Histology, University of Toronto/Scarborough College, Toronto, Ontario, Canada.

Honors, academic awards, and other relevant achievements:

- 2008 - present Member NYAS Vaccines Steering Committee.
- 2008 Organized/hosted NYAS symposia "Vaccines for Neurodegenerative Diseases."
- 2007 Wyeth "CNS Pipeline Award" Team member.
- 2005 Wyeth Team of the Year Award: "ACC-001 Joint Project Team."
- 2005 Wyeth Team of the Year Award: "Alzheimer's Disease Amyloid Programs Team."
- 2000 Wyeth-Ayerst "Above and Beyond Award" for contributions to AD program.
- 1999 WLW "GMP Excellence Award" – GC project.
- 1989 Canadian Society of Immunology International Travel Bursary (Berlin).
- 1987 - 1988 University of Western Ontario University Studentship.
- 1985 - 1987 Medical Research Council of Canada Studentship.
- 1983 - 1984 University of Western Ontario University Studentship.
- 1982 University of Toronto Open Scholarship.
- 1981 Natural Science and Engineering Research Council of Canada - Pure and Applied Science Research Grant.
- 1979 Canadian Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Student Scholarship.
- 1978 Ontario Ministry of Energy Research Training Grant.
- 1975 Province of Ontario Scholarship.

Expertise and Experiences:

Vaccine/antibody research and development specific to bacteriology, virology and non-infectious disease. Responsible for animal (including non-human primate) study design and execution. Additionally, head group responsible for Immunological Assay development and qualification. Also responsible for authoring and preparation of documents including study reports, INDs, patent and regulatory filings, and review of aforementioned documentation prepared by other groups. A key participant in advancing 2 programs through Development Track, and 4 Vaccines in Clinical Trial. Have functioned as liaison between Wyeth Vaccines and various corporate and academic partners, and collaborators. Interacted with FDA (CBER and CDER) and EU regulatory agencies, and European patent court. Have managed active research and development group having as many as 33 FTE. Evaluated outside licensing opportunities and collaborations. Presentation of research and development strategies to Wyeth Vaccines and Wyeth Research senior/executive management. Have had extensive formal training in Executive Leadership skills, Drug Development, Management, and a variety of Human Resource specific topics.

Ad Hoc Reviewer:

Journal of Immunological Methods (2000 – 2001).

FASEB Journal (2000 - 2001).

Journal of Immunology (1994 - 1996).

Professional Society Memberships:

American Association of Immunologists (1989 – present).

New York Academy of Sciences (2004 – present).

Publications:

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21. Games, D., Jacobsen, S., Pangalos, M., Hagen, M., Gill, D., Schenk D. and P. Seubert (2008). Issues and advances in the development of Immunotherapies for Alzheimer's Disease. Springfield Pan-Asian Symposium on Advanced in Alzheimer's Therapy, Hong Kong.
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